

The University of Alberta Department of Music presents:

UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA CONCERT CHOIR



Dr Debra Cairns, Conductor

Friday, December 3, 2010 at 8:00 pm

Convocation Hall, Old Arts Building, University of Alberta



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Programme

Seasonal Themes

Enatus est Emanuel (from Musae Sioniae VI, 1609)

Michael Praetorius
(1571-1621)

Venite, exultemus Domino

Jan Pieterszoon Sweelinck
(1562-1621)

O magnum mysterium

Tomas Luis de Victoria
(ca1549-1611)

Fantasia on Christmas Carols

Mark Wilkinson, baritone; Wendy Nieuwenhuis, organ

Ralph Vaughan Williams
(1872-1958)

There is no Rose

Robin John King
(b 1961)

Thou shalt know Him

Mark G. Sirett
(b 1952)

*He is Born**

*world premiere

Kimberley Denis, arr
(b 1976)

-Intermission-

Cold, Night Themes

Two selections from *When Icicles Hang*
Blow, blow, Thou Winter Wind
Good Ale

John Rutter
(b 1945)

Ô Nuit

Jean-Philippe Rameau
(1683-1764)

La Nuit (from Rondels, 1899)

Reynaldo Hahn
(1875-1945)

Waldesnacht (Op 62 no 3)

Johannes Brahms
(1833-1897)

Canadiana Themes

She's Like the Swallow

Stephen Chatman
(b 1950)

Ononyatakaka

Mark G. Sirett

Ah! si mon moine voulait danser
(from *Six Songs of Early Canada*)

Donald Patriquin, arr
(b 1938)

Department of Music Upcoming Events

Each season, the Department of Music proudly presents a richly varied repertoire of concerts and events. Offering more than 100 performance and academic events throughout the school year, we invite you to engage in the world of Music. Stay up to date on upcoming events by visiting our website: www.ualberta.ca.

Music at Convocation Hall presents **Trio Voce**. Please join Trio Voce for the release of their new CD on Con Brio Recordings of the Shostakovich and Mieczyslaw Weinberg Trios. The evening's program will include the early Shostakovich op. 8 Trio and Weinberg's Trio, op. 24 and Beethoven's Trio, op. 70, no. 1 Ghost. **Saturday, December 4, 8pm, Convocation Hall.**

The U of A **Madrigal Singers**, Leonard Ratzlaff conductor, and soprano Jolaine Kerley are guests of the Alberta Baroque Ensemble for their annual Music for a Festive Season. The choir will perform Vivaldi's Magnificat and Credo and lead the audience in carol singing. Prof. Kerley will be the soloist in Handel's newly rediscovered setting of Gloria in excelsis Deo. **Sunday, December 5, 3pm & 7:30pm, Robertson Wesley Church** (corner of 102 Ave. and 123 St).

The U of A **Concert Band** presents works by Rossini, Erickson, Gillingham, Copland and Nelson, as well as holiday favorites by Hanson, Reed and Anderson on **Sunday, December 5, at 2pm in Convocation Hall.**

Join the **New Music Listening Group** for a communal listening session of electronic music by various artists selected by the students of Music 545 on **Monday, December 6 at 7pm in Studio 27.**

The **X93 Experimental Improvisation Ensemble** presents experimental improvised music, with movement contributions by the Jen Mesch Dance Conspiracy on **Monday, December 6, 8pm in Studio 27.**

Swing to the golden tunes of big band with the **U of A and Grant MacEwan Jazz Bands** on **Monday, December 6, 7pm at the Haar Theater.**

Come and hear new music created by the students of Music 545 using custom-built interactive software systems and sounds at the **Interactive Electronic Music Concert** on **Tuesday, December 7, 12pm in Studio 27.**

The **Enterprise Quartet** presents a special program featuring the Schubert String Quartet No. 12 in C Minor, D.703 - 'Quartettsatz' and the Schubert String Quintet in C, D.956, with Tanya Prochazka, cello, **Tuesday, December 7, 4:30pm at Enterprise Square.**

The Graduate Composers Concert presents **New Works for Sax Quartet** on **Friday, December 10 at 7pm in Convocation Hall.**

Join us for the **Undergraduate Composers Concert** featuring the **Contempo New Music Ensemble** on **Monday, December 13, 7pm in Convocation Hall.**



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About the University of Alberta Concert Choir

Founded in 1970, the University of Alberta Concert Choir has been conducted by Dr. Debra Cairns since 1989 (with the exception of the past 2 years).

Membership is open to students across the campus through auditions held at the beginning of each year. As a result, the singers come from such diverse disciplines as business, sciences, education and the arts, as well as music itself. The choir rehearses 4 hours per week and can be taken as a Fine Arts option.

Regular national semi-finalists in the CBC Competition for Amateur Choirs (Mixed Choir category), the U of A Concert Choir has appeared with the Edmonton Symphony Orchestra, been featured at Music Conference Alberta and the Department of Music's Music at Convocation Hall showcase concert series, and has been heard on national broadcast of the CBC. In recent years the choir has toured to Ontario, Vancouver Island, the east coast of Canada and Iceland.

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Dr Debra Cairns, Conductor

Alison Norris, Assistant Conductor

Clarijane Belliones, Accompanist

Soprano

Amica Beulshausen
Alesha Bogdan*
Victoria Carter
Lisa Dolinsky
Jordyn Dryden
Natasha Fung
Olivia Garland
Holly Kroeker
Alison Norris
Kaylee Rudiger*
Kara Scott
Canbi Tam
Leigh Walbaum*
Candice Yip

Alto

Carolina Albornoz
Cheri Bastien
Heeran Cho
Silken Conradi
Melanie Dunch
Rachel Grahn
Cassandra Hickman
Chelsea Ludwig
Kayla MacDonald
Jessica Milanowski
Laura Ritchie
Olivia Ruschkowski
Stephanie Savage
Lauren Trelford
Lok Yi (Virginia) Wan

Baritone/Bass

Aaron Adamkewicz
Scott Charlton
Derek Fehr
Greg Koller
Bryan LeGrow
JunWei (Leo) Li
Yiming (Mike) Liu
Sidney M'sahel
Chad Ohman
Schyler Palm
Spencer Peacock
Dylan Reap

* denotes Executive Member

Tenor

Michelle Chan
Zhi (Vincent) Chen
Nafiseh Dadgostar
Eli Huang
Gloria Wan
Vincent Zheng

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